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Box PCT Washington, D.C. 20231 ATTY, DOCKET NO. FULST NAMED APPLICANT М 179-78 OUTBELL 09/171.671 INTERNATIONAL APPLICATION NO PCT/GB97/01158 5611 NIXON & VANDERHYE PRIORITY DATE 1100 NORTH GLEBE ROAD STH FLOOR LA. FILING DATE ARLINGTON VA 22201 04/24/96 04/24/97 03/18/99 NOTIFICATION OF MISSING REQUIREMENTS UNDER 35 U.S.C. 371 IN THE UNITED STATES DESIGNATED/ELECTED OFFICE (DO/EO/US) 1. The following items have been submitted by the applicant or the IB to the United States Patent and Trademark a Designated Office (37 CFR 1.494), Office as an Elected Office (37 CFR 1.495): U.S. Basic National Fee. Copy of the international application in: a non-English language. English. ☐ Translation of the international application into English. Oath or Declaration of inventors(s) for DO/EO/US. Copy of Article 19 amendments. Translation of Article 19 amendments into English. ☑ The International Preliminary Examination Report in English and its Annexes, if any Translation of Annexes to the International Preliminary Examination Report into English.

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Information Disclosure Statement(s) filed 23 UC 1 1998 and 22 JAN 199 1**998** and 22 JAN 1999 Assignment document. Power of Attorney and/or Change of Address. ☐ Substitute specification filed Statement Claiming Small Entity Status. Priority Document. Copy of the International Search Report 2 and copies of the references cited therein. Other: 2. The following items MUST be furnished within the period set forth below in order to complete the requirements for acceptance under 35 U.S.C. 371: a. Translation of the application into English. Note a processing fee will be required if submitted later than the appropriate 20 or 30 months from the priority date. ☐ The current translation is defective for the reasons indicated on the attached Notice of Defective □ b. Processing fee for providing the translation of the application and/or the Annexes later that the appropriate 20 or 30 months from the priority date (37 CFR 1.492(f)). ☑ c. Oath or declaration of the inventors, in compliance with 37 CFR 1.497(a) and (b), identifying the application by the International application number and international filing date. The current oath or declaration does not comply with 37 CFR 1.497(a) and (b) for the reasons indicated on the attached PCT/DO/EO/917. d. Surcharge for providing the oath or declaration later that the appropriate 20 or 30 months from the priority date (37 CFR 1.492(e)). as a large entity small entity, including any required multiple 3. Additional claim fees of \$_ dependent claim fee, are required. Applicant must submit the additional claim fees or cancel the additional claims for which fees are due (37 CFR 1.492(g)). See attached PTO-875. ALL OF THE ITEMS SET FORTH IN 2(a)-2(d) AND 3 ABOVE MUST BE SUBMITTED WITHIN ONE MONTH FROM THE DATE OF THIS NOTICE OR BY ☐ 21 OR ₹ 31 MONTHS FROM THE PRIORITY DATE FOR THE APPLICATION, WHICHEVER IS LATER. FAILURE TO PROPERLY RESPOND WILL RESULT IN ABANDONMENT. cancelled. Note processing tee will be required it submitted later than 12 months the processing tee will be required it submitted later than 12 months the processing tee will be required it submitted later than 12 months the processing tee will be required in submitted later. 5. The Article 19 amendments are cancelled since a translation was not provided by the appropriate 20 of CPR : 404(d)) or 30 (37 CFR 1.495(d)) months from the priority date. Tendenning Office and Tendenning Office will be sometimes and and the second of the second o and softman

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